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In re Appln. of: **ANSGAR RINSCHIED**

Appln. No.: **10/769,028**

Filed: **January 29, 2004**

For: **SYSTEM FOR SPEECH RECOGNITION**

Attorney Docket No: **11336-677 (P01045US)**

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Art Unit: 2641

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Attached is/are:

- ☒ Communication Regarding Power of Attorney and copy of previously submitted power of attorney.
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- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
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					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$9=			x \$18=	
Indep.		Minus			x 43=			x \$86=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
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Case No. 11336/677 (POI045US)

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Title: **SYSTEM FOR SPEECH RECOGNITION**

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The specification of the above-identified patent application:

is attached hereto

X was filed on January 29, 2004 as application Serial No. 10/769.028.

I hereby revoke all previously granted powers of attorney in the above-identified patent application and appoint the following

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HARMAN BECKER AUTOMOTIVE SYSTEMS GmbH, a German Company, having a place of business at Becker-Göring-Straße 16, 76307 Karlsbad, Germany, certifies that it has claimed from the inventors under German law the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above as evidenced by the attached document(s).

The undersigned is authorized and empowered to act on behalf Harman Becker Automotive Systems GmbH.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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